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To the People of Orleans County.

With this number commences the first of the public loudly domand a paper that deall be devoted to the interests of the people of this county, and which shall lend its best energies to the upbuilding of her institutions, and the advancement we ask all those who feel an interest in the success of our undertaking to give us part of their editors. such information as they may possess in matters relating to county affairs, or upon any subject they think will prove of by sickness or accident. luterest.

leans county is an enterprise by no means new. She has had many valuable paners; yet we think they have generally made a faml mistake in not making their papers sufficiently local—a fact which has been time after time demonstrated by their repeated failure.

The history of newspaper publishing ia Orleans county we are perfectly familiar with-having worked as a journeyman upon every paper from the establishment of the diminutive Feomon's Record till the silly transfer of the Gatelle to the North Union. We think we enderstand the cause of their non-success, and holding the opinion we do, shall endeavor to avoid the rock upon which others have been wrecked, and endeavor to publisher a paper worthy the intelligent of the county. If we fail, it will be from a dilatory and stingy supportnot because we neglect our business.

Our paper is commenced with prospeets the most cheering. If people hold

entered is destined to be marked with important events, both at home and bundred, and but little can be found. sampsic Extension will be put under per pound. begun in our county, and but a short period will elapse before the "iron horse" his heels the produce of our thrifty farmers, and bringing in return the handiwork of our ingenious neighbors. Then will not a good paper be needed-that the heads of the people may keep page with their pockets?

A new president is to be elected. Thank God for the privilege! We shall the issue of the second number, which all be called upon to oust from his place will be Friday, Jan. 11th. the man who has for the past three years descerated the name of republican, and dishonored the post to which an over-vacated the editorial chair of the Green whelming majority of his countrymen Monatain Freeman, a post which he has be called to choose from among their by Mr. S. S. Boyce. countrymen the one who shall succeed him, in guiding this nation through the GS We understand that the stock necthat a paper should be supported in our quite all taken. county which will reflect the principles that should govern the untion.

to be one of the most exciting ever had quently that department is somewhat Creek Ditch, California, which was perment. It will certainly be one of the most important. Slavery will be the all The Orleans County Court for the cious.

banded despots of Europe are arrayed dian Agent at Fort Laramie writes to Mahommedans to read the Bible. in opposition to each other, though they the effect that Red Leaf, Long Chin and all make common cause to crush out the Spotted Tail, the three principals engagall make common cause to crush out the liberties of the people they affect to govern. The same principles which affect on the liberties of the people they affect to govern. The same principles which affect delivered up to him on the 5th ult., and stimates that the population into that territory is says the immigration into that territory is month since, and the country has every great, and estimates that the population into that territory is since been covered with snow, although

to a certain class of people. There are teen persons.

doors-thus taking the most effectual neans to root out all newspaper enterhim take as many as he pleasees and other and gather useful information. we will not object.

its publication other than that the voice with some of the city dailies, and publication lish in a condensed form all which may comfort." Other papers which have been

We shall issue our paper regularly on

batch of snow, which is thankfully re- Andrew J. Webster, Esq., and others, seived by the traveling community gen- The Post Office Department. - died last night. On the announcement

and vice versa, more so than is common enue. at this season of the year, when stern | gg Prof. Zadock Thompson, of Bur- ulation, in order to qualify them for the

from so enormous a tax as that which -specimens of woods, &c. drained it the last.

Notwithstanding, a much larger quantity of produce than usual was stored at the last harvest, yet provisions of all lish are on the worst possible terms in kinds demand a high price. Wheat is the Crimea. Neither men nor officers scarce at \$2,25 per bushel, and other grain, though more plenty, is not less French treat the English with superciliabroad, At home we have the almost Beef is selling at from 5 1-2 to 86 per from the beginning." controls hope that the long talked of Pas- hundred. Butter commands 25 cents

contract, and we may confidently expect At home this is owing to the shortness that before the close of the year 1856. of the crops for the two preceding years. A conspiracy to put Gen. Maga in the army. The Rossians have personed the cently perpetrated in Kansas; or, if he anding of the track will have been ket also affects us to a greater less extent, eval important arrests were made in con-The resign demand on the western mark that also affects us to a greater less extent, as we have depended for years on western mark that also affects us to a greater less extent.

A sad tragedy lately occurred on the sufficient to leave garrison at four or five the crecks stand in pools. But this decimal form of Mr. John Yager, a few miles are they which has so long been in his stall at St.

Live to wheat-growers for a portion of our break. Speculators have for the last many poor families to obtain hardly a comfortable living.

> 65 We issue the first number of our paper a few days in advance of our reg. On the 26th the Academy at spect it and send in their names before cendiary.

important, then, in view of these facts, the Passumpsic Railroad is nearly or South to Kanzaz, "to meet their focs at ciety has resolved to publish the gespel

The next presidential election bids fair which to select news this week. Consecutly enught near the head of Pilot the purchase of blocks to print the Chi-

engrossing upie. In that election prin- December Term, commenced its session

The old world, too, is in arms. The missioner of Indian Affairs yesterday of sign or the times, which is referred to in a highly important character. The Incause—freedom; they to obtain what we place they were expected to arrive on then will bring up to ninety or a hundred tw miles he came on foot, in company with under escort. These Indians were ac-Now we wish to make a few—if not companied by their women and children Great Central Sea in Tropical vens, one of the British expedition that

learn what is going on in other countries, were present during the attack, but who let, twice as large as the Black Sea, beand in our own, too, they must take neity took no part in it, have not yet been surtween the equator and 10 degrees south ing for about 150 miles, or to Dacotah, paper, as though it could not be relied rendered. One of them has been sick intitude, and between the 23d and 50th some 50 miles north of Dubuque. At upon if it came to them through the cold for months past, and is now so feeble as meridian. It is designated Ukerewe, or Dubuque the ice was running and the

News Items.

prise at home. And when asked to pat- United States Agricultural So. gomery, occurred recently at Brighton, ronise their own county paper, reply that CIRTY.—The fourth annual meeting of England. He was the author of several S. M. PETTINGULL, & Co., are authorized to take two. We respectfully submit, is is to be held at Washington, Jan. 9, 1856. have been reprinted in this country. He receive of vertisements and subscriptions for this generous? Does it look like foster- Agricultural Societies are requested to et-Boston, 10 State ing home industry? We ask further, if send delegates. During the sessions a man is truly benevolent, will be not there will be lectures and discussions on ry, the poet. support his own county paper first? subjects connected with agriculture, and Then if he must have a city paper, for an excellent opportunity for the friends the United States is estimated at twenty the sake of reading foreign news and for- of improvement in different parts of the millions of dollars. The city of New eign correspondence, written at home, let country to become acquainted with each York expends yearly a million and a

SIGNIFICANT AND GRATIFYING .- The alone. If the people of the county wish to Legislature of Missouri has adjourned have a decent and reliable paper printed without electing Mr. Atchinson to the volume of the Orleans Independent Stand. at home, they must support it by taking U. S. Senate, and after voting down the and paying for it. We shall exchange resolution approving the Kanzas-Nebras-

tional Convention. The General has all der, and are now in prison. During the last three or four days so written a letter to the same effect, dawe have been presented with a nice ted Detroit, Nov. 23, and addressed to

erally; as usual, the wind has seized the The entire receipts of the Post Office of his death the Board of Brokers this opportunity of distributing a portion of Department for the fiscal year ending on morning adjourned till Wednesday. t in piles here and there, where a less the 30th June last are stated at \$9,373,quantity would have answered better .- 044, being \$350,000 in excess of the resuccession of changes from warm to cold and caused the outlay to exceed the rev- says:

winter has taken hold with an unyielding lington, was one of the 51 Americans duties of life, and to prevent them from The warm weather has been favorable to Industrial Exhibition, just closed. A county will be saved, the coming spring, him for "uncultivated natural products," ored children, would be particularly ob-

Kossuth cays, in a letter to the N. Y. Times-"I have the most positive indear. Pork is quick at \$10 to \$12 per our haughtiness since the Redan affair, New York Post says: just as the English have treated the Turks - Marshal Pelissier demands permis-

ra Falls in a small boat on the 14th.

ular publication day, in order that our Sherbrooke, C. E., was destroyed by fire. friends may have sufficient time to in- It is supposed to be the work of an in-

for what they have done in Kanzas.- the first of January, 1856. The object of the society, as stated by the resolutions, is to raise money to dethe ballot-box, and, if necessary, with ri- by John, and Acts of the Apostles, in fle bell-"

feerly white, except the feet, all four of Swedish Bible will be published as soon which were black. He was very fero-as funds can be spared for the purpose.

take a part in that great struggle. We Official Account of the Car-Russia would annihilate Protestantism in "Michael S. Bright, Esq., nephew of should enter the battle intelligently, advisedly, and honestly.

Turkey. Another most extraordinary the Indiana Senator, was in this city yesterday, having made the overland trip

us here, affect them there. They are lawere turned over to the commandant at lation will nearly equal 70,000 by the 1st a couple of vessels were still looked for boring for the same end, for the same

Fort Leavenworth by him, at which of December, which the spring immigra- at Superior on the 3d. The first seven-

pertinent—perhaps im-pertinent remarks, and by a few friends, making in all thir- Africa.—It is stated that Dr. Rebman, discovered some of the remains of Sir many who seem to think that in order to Two boys, or quite young men, who in Africa of an immense sea, without outriver was about closed,"

The death of Robert Montgome-Kansas Delivered. ry, the peet, commonly called Satan Mont-

distinguish him from James Montgome-The annual value of poultry in habitants of Lawrence to give up their or not; he has not been seen since. half of dollars in the purchase of eggs habitants; the governor appointed by the vate property will be respected." president to preserve "law and order" in does by a proclamation in which the vien the tender mercies of the invaders! that from thirty to forty dead men are taken out of the river opposite that city of Lawrence were denounced as rebels; the president of the United States-forgetful of his pretended zeal for the doc-An edition of the Bible has been grint- MURDER AT NEW HAVEN .- New Ha- trine of squatter sovereignty, and anxtake pride in printing a good paper, if ed in Nashville, Tennessee—the first ren, Dec. 24, 1855.—The body of Justus ions, it would seem, to have the Lawwe can receive the necessary "aid and published south of the Ohio and Potothis morning in the western suburbs of non and the ruffians he had collected to-GEN. CASS AND THE PRESIDENCY .- this city. His throat was cut and his gether by promising to back them by all strictly a county paper, and to that end from a want of respectable home patron. The Washington Union is authorized to wrists were tied. He was in the house the power of the general government; age, than from any lack of ability on the say that in the caucus of Democratic of Rhoda Wakeman, and had been con-Senators on Wednesday last, he declared nected with a band of Millerites, spiritu- and their intercourse with the east cut that he was no candidate for the Presi- alists, or something of the kind. Sever- off: with nothing to rely upon but their the day of publication, unless deterred dency, and that he was unwilling for his al of his brethren have been arrested on good cause, their Sharp's rifles, and their name to be presented as such at the Na- suspicion of having a hand in the mur- own indomitable spirit, the little band of free state men have rolled back the tide

The St. Louis Intelligencer states

Boston, Monday Dec. 24.

P. P. F. DeGrand, one of the oldest

and most respectable brokers of this city,

emigrated from Southern States."

Croix River, St. Paul and Dubuque.-

The discomfited and lop-eared invaders pretend that against their wish they were kept from fighting by the pusilanity of Governor Shannon. The truth seems to be that when to the wholesome eter ranging from 5 to 16 degrees below extension of the mail service and the in- act passed by the Common Council of our night-the first of the kind during crease in the expense of transporting the that city providing for the establishment the campaign-these murderous scoun-"Whilst I fully admit the necessity of orders, or stopping to say good bye to greatest haste and confusion and disorwho received prizes at the great French becoming hereafter a burden to commumurder of a Mr. Barber, whom Clark, noxious to those of our citizens who have the United States Indian Agent, ruth-The Pacific says: "We can but regard lessly shot down near his own house, this as a pusillanimous act, and trust that which had been attacked by a marauding about four miles from Lawrence.

> He declares that it is impossible to con-Presidency had been discovered and sev. wells, and he asks, what is the use of has not power, or is restrained by his rewishes next spring to undertake alone the Barber; thirdly, the lying proclamation affair:the Spanish language, that they may be

"Dr. Russell and Mr. Thomas Camp- name is Henry." They left Gen. Strickler's camp on the trial. Wanknesa about noon on Saturday .-From these gentlemen we learn that the abolitionists have unconditionally surren-

"The abolitionists are greatly alarmed,

and appear perfectly humbled. "Saturday was the day fixed for at tacking the town, and on the morning of that day the abolitionists demanded a parley, which resulted in the surrender of the town. The Abolitionists are to give up their arms, and have openly declared their willingness to submit to the laws .-The men demanded by Sheriff Jones, under the writ in his possession, are to We would call the attention of be given up, (if the Sheriff can find our readers to the advertisement of W.

From the New York Tribune.

"On Thursday last, two Abolitionists were challenged by the picket guards At last authentic accounts are begin- from Strickler's camp, but not being able

Death of a Miser. An Heir Wanted.

suddenly on Friday night of last week. The deceased was a German, who by ome means had amassed a handsome fortune, which we have heard variously estimated at from \$25,000 to \$50,000, but unfortunately for the public as well as himself, he belonged to the lowest grade of misers. Of his history, place of nativity, or friends, nothing is known, and any allusion to these matters, even by his most intimate friends, always exasof barbarie invasion, and have secured perated him. He leaves, so far as at The climate, however, more nearly refor freedom yet another breathing space. present is known, no one to inherit his sembles that of Virginia, without its sulestate, which will, in all probability es- triness in the hot months. - Life Illustracheat to the State. No will has yet been ted. discovered, and it is not likely he left any. The manner of life and parsimonious Greene] the actual winter does not conhabits of the deceased are almost incred- tinue three menths, during which snow-Negro Schools Vetoed.—Mayor terror which the Sharp's rifles inspired lible. For the last sixteen years he has falls rarely exceed three inches. Plow-The air is keen and frosty, the thermom- ceipts of the previous year. But the English, of Sacramento, has vetoed an was added the discomfort of a tempestuwoolsey wamus and pantaloons, carefully der in the Missouri settlements, families run or darned all over with strong thread may be seen, in calicoes and shirt-sleeves, There has been for some weeks past a mails have been proportionally increased, of free schools for negro children. He drels were seized with uncontrollable so as to prevent the possibility of wearhome-sickness, and without waiting for ing out, except on some important occa- twilight of a December eve. But there sions, such as land sales or something of are bleak days and weeks, when a strong ducating the youthful portion of our pop- each other, hurried off homeward in the that nature, when they gave place to a wind from the north blows unintermitation suit of black velvet that he often boasted tingly. And, near the mountains, fullhad served him faithfully for forty years. fledged storms come down, not long-lastnity, I cannot overlook the fact that the and even of arms. As the invasion be- He contracted the disease of which he ing, but as frostily keen and gloriously the farming community, and we trust the medal of the second class was awarded levied upon them, to the education of collevied upon them. appropriation of any portion of the taxes gan, so it ended, in murder. It began died by walking over the bad roads du- wild as those we read about of Piedmen season, all the way to Putnam and Henry | Spring in the eastern half of Kanzas counties, to pay his taxes on the land he is attended with rains from the beginning owned there, without sufficient clothing of March until June. The streams are to protect him from the cold. In fact, swollen, and wagon routes become mire. the council of the city will pass their or party of ruffians under the command of we are informed that he scarcely ever but not like those of Indiana and Illinois. one Major Richardson. Mr. Barber lived wore a shirt or under garment, and that and it is not probable that corduroy or the one he had on when he died had not plank roads will need to be constructed. Though president Pierce waited so been changed for over three months. It The vegetation is exuberant; and, upon quietly, pretending want of power to in- is related of him that, but a short time the Cottonwood and Little Arkaneas, the terfere, to let the Lawrence people be since, notwithstanding the piles of gold bright green of the fresh buffalo grass, murdered, we trust he has power, and and silver he had hoarded away, he act- outrolling in the sunshine, is almost too sion to evacuate the Crimea forthwith.— that he will now feel himself called upon ually carried an old horse-shoe he had vivid for the eye to bear. Vera Cruz dates to the 8th represent Mexico as anything but tranquil.— the want of water for the horses of the Middle States of the horses of the Middle States of the Middle Middle States of the Mid

Minister to the United States in place of points, but there is much fear here in re- house of representatives, if ever organ- from Dover, in Lafayette County, Ky., a are either harvested or so matured as not gard to the moral effects of an evacuaised, will come to his assistance. In the young man named Winslow, recently to be affected by drouth. In respect to Johnsbury, will be seen plenging over the rugged mountains and snorting theorem and snorting throw the fertile valleys of old Orleans, on his way to and from the Atlantic sear-board wishes next spring to undertake alone the Barber; thirdly, the lying proclamation of the Crimea. The matter is still undered the trade of Yager's negroes. The Lexington Express gives the following account of the Barber; thirdly, the lying proclamation affair: tion of the Crimea. The matter is still first place, there is the murder of Dow from Virginia, having been killed by one continuance of growing weather, the cli-

maritime expedition against Cronstadt, of Gov. Shannon; fourthly, the assump-Two persons belonging in Chip-reserving to herself, however the privil-tion of authority to put the executive of tially as follows: The negro having failpewa, Canada, were carried over Niaga- ege of demanding the aid of an army the laws of Kansas into the hands of an ed to build a fire as required, Winslow army of volunteers collected in Missouri; called to him. The other servants told THE PLACARD BIBLE.—We learn fifthly, the lying attempt of Shannon to the boy that Winslow was calling him, from the British Banner, that a proposal obtain authority to keep up the Missouri when he replied, 'Let him call and be has been set on foot for posting placards invaders by the United States troops at d-d.' After this Winslow went out, all over the city, containing passages Fort Leavenworth; sixthly, the stealing taking his gun with him, and again orfrom the Bible, printed in the largest of cannon and munitions from the Unidered the boy to build a fire, and also Miss Jenny Campbell, aged one characters, so as to arrest attention.— ted States Arsenal in Clay county; and, told him that if he did not behave himhundred and fifteen years, died in Orange Each placard to contain only one verse, seventhly, the thousand-and-one outrages self he would shoot him. The negro reand sometimes only one sentence; and upon peaceable individuals, travelers, and plid, 'Shoot and be d-d.' The other of mellow splender until the on-looker is A Kanzas emigration society has to be renewed as frequently as the funds others, perpetrated by the border ruffians servants say that at this Winslow called been formed at Gainesville, Miss., at a will permit. A society is to be organized uring their week's foray. So far as for a gentleman named Miller, and at the glory that floods half the sky. And, called him, by his acts or his refusals to filled with credit to himself for the past public meeting there which adopted resolutions thanking the Missouri horderers and at the public meeting there which adopted resolutions thanking the Missouri horderers.

With permit. A society is to be organized during their week's toray. So far as for a gentleman named Miller, and at the public meeting there which adopted resolutions the past public meeting there which adopted resolutions the Missouri horderers. olutions thanking the Missouri borderers sible, a commencement is to be made on of the territorial government of Kansas, Miller went out in answer to Winslow's Shannon and his officials will now have call, neither Winslow nor the negro was THE BIBLE FOR ST. DOMINGO AND an opportunity to show whether they are to be seen, but on a second search he trials and dangers which will arise. How essary to be raised in order to complete tray the expenses of emigrants from the they are not oblig by the angle of they are not oblig by the second search ne found Winslow lying on his face, with a they are not able, let them stand aside at dreadful cut on the side of his head, ranonce, and make room for the new gov- ging just above the ear. Before the upon the bottoms of the Lower Missisernment to be organised under the state young man could be carried into the ippi. Mosquitoes are smaller and less house he was dead. The young man was rapacious, and away from the Kausas The following extract from a printed a son of Mr. Henry Winslow of Saline slip forwarded on the 10th instant, from County, Missouri. The negro has not that ever presented their bills to methe Independence (Mo.) Express, will yet been caught. He is a heavy-set man, show by what sort of lies the retreating about 26 years of , and weighs about 170 decaded past of new countries, an or or ruffians attempted to plaster over their pounds. His skin is smooth, and has is of opinion that it need not be feared disgrace. It also contains their version but little beard. It is supposed he has by the temperate settler. Not that the ciples will be called up which may piled. Dec. 25th, Hon. L. P. Poland presi-fall of Schastopol has quieted the adher-troit Tribune had intelligence from the last of the outrages committed by the intry to make his way into Kansas. His broken, it usually takes its flight and is

bell of Dover, returned to this city from The negro has just been arrested, and one of the healthiest, as well as one of the seat of war about 7, o'clock last night, at the latest accounts was undergoing a the most agreeable climates in the world.

> prize-fight, for \$300 a side, took place on country, a newer life seems breather the 18th ult., near Island Pond, on the around, and buoyancy and vigor is fell and James Hart, both recently of Bos- experience, and hundreds have said a that city were most of them pecuniarily ity of the Mississippi region, there was ponent in seventeen rounds.

them,) and it is understood that the ring-

From Life Blustrated Kangas

The word Kanzas has become extreme. ning to arrive of the inglorious retreat of to give the challenge, and refusing to by familiar to the public eye, from the they take a city paper, and cannot afford the United States Agricultural Society rence men have carried them through an morning. The wounded man clung to papers on subjects connected with the alarming crisis with safety and honor .- his horse until he was carried into the politics of that Territory. But with pol-Beleagured by a set of bloodthirsty in- town-the other one, it is thought, jump- ities we have nothing to do. Our more vaders who flocked into Kansas with the ed off his horse and hid in the bush. It useful but less pretentious task is to disavowed intention of compelling the in- is not known whether he was wounded pense information, derived from the excellent little work before us, "Max. arms, or else to burn the town to the "Dr. Rassell thinks the town of Rus- Greene's Survey of the Kanzas Region" ground, and to cut the throats of the in- sell will not be disturbed, and that pri- To that country thousands are looking as their fature home. Already the tide of Astonishing forbearance, due possibly emigration sets Kanzas-ward, and just as the territory, cheering on these despera- quite as much to the Sharp's rifles as to soon as the political destiny of the Territory is settled, it will rival Iowa, Wisconsin, and Illinois in the rapidity of its advancement. Mr. Greene's work ar-The well-known miser, John Herrypears at the right moment. It makes us man, a citizen of this place, died very acquainted with the value and importance of Kanzas at the very time when its political character is to be decided for many

The territory of Kanzas contains eighty-one millions of acres; of which about one-fourth is barren or mountainous; the remainder fertile in various degrees. The greater part of the arable land is prairie, not unlike the prairie of Illinois, and in no respect inferior to it.

East of the mountains [says Mr.

Middle States. It is rather dry; for mate is decidedly superior to that of Wisconsin, Iowa, and Michigan, where, from 1846 to 1851 there were, successively, partial failures of the crops from the

shortness of the season. Summer, throughout the territory, is a delicious cycle. The ardent toon-tide is tempered by the soft south wind from the Cordilleras, and refreshing slowers accompanied with such unpatented thunder and lightning as modern melodrama will there is yet a starry beauty in the night

There is not that smothering dampues River there are none -- none, at all events

With regard to fever and ague, that

felt no more. He prononnees Kanzas There is a vitality in the atmosphere that is truly wonderful. As soon as you PRIZE FIGHT. - We learn that a pass upon the upland swells of the Slaw Canada side, between James Moneghan coming back to old limbs. Such was my ton. The parties had been in training me theirs was similar. Progressing west several weeks, and the sporting men of ward, farther from the distressing humidinterested in the match. Some two hun- to me a hopefulness, ar clation in the very dred persons, it is said, went to see the sense of being: an effuence which palaffair. Moneghan is reported to have ed through the frame of nature, and, been the victor, having "used up" his oplike the deep joy which penetrates the heart of a child. This is to some the coaggerated or senseless talk of an enth-

and inhale that thin, wholesome air, b